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- [] A verified statement to establish small entity under 37 C.F.R. §§1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.
- No additional fee is required.

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